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THE EAST.

Diaz Attended by Many Prominent Men.

SEVERAL BIRTHS AT WASHINGTON.

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WASHINGTON, April 4—[Special.]—The finger of fate pointed out Diaz as the victim of the night, and he was literally overwhelmed with congratulations. Among those present were Gen. Joe M. Pascon, J. B. Frisbie, Gen. Sherman, Gen. Joe M. Hawley, Gen. M. M. Potter, C. P. Huntington, Gen. J. M. Schofield, Gen. Alexander, F. Ward, J. H. Wort, E. F. Beale, Gen. Julius T. Lewis, Victor Newcomb, Gen. Hugh Judge Campbell, Horace Porter, J. A. J. Cresswell, Gen. Alexander S. Sullivan, Hugh McCulloch, and many scientists in the press reception. Welcome speech, and said the United States welcome the past three were the only countries in which Mexico a republic would be proud, and would bear fairest may be. The Mexican minister was watching with deep interest the work across the Mexican border, which showed that the interests of the two countries were becoming more identified. Diaz bowed in response to the address in Spanish, saying that he was only beaten by touching upon the subject of the two countries. Diaz, Gen. Sherman, Gen. Hawley, Gen. Schofield, Gen. Alexander, Gen. Sullivan, Gen. Beale

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THE PROTEST OF MOSES.

Chief Moses probably has never heard of Punic Faith; that is, he would baldly designate, and perhaps would not even recognize treaty-breaking by that name. And yet he is about as clear an idea of the thing itself as if he were able to give the classical name for it. In all probability he could sum the idea contained in Cato's sententious Latin into most expressive Okanagan, giving, if not an elegant equivalent of *Punit si fides*, at least a definition drawn from his own experience, of all that the term implies. In plain words, Moses feels that he is being wrongly dealt with about his lands, and in good sooth he has too much reason to feel so. Some year ago, in order to extinguish his claim to certain lands in and about the Spokane and Colville country, and in the great bend of the Columbia river, the government set him apart a reservation on the north side of the Columbia, lying west of the Okanagan and extending north to the line of British Columbia. Before this reservation was set apart for him, he and his people had lived at large in a region upon which the whites were making rapid encroachments; and though Moses regretted to give up the country, he finally consented to do so, on the assurance that he would never be disturbed upon his reservation lands. Moses himself made a trip to Washington to see about the matter, where it took a long time to overcome his doubts and objections. But President Hayes bade him dismiss his fears, assured him that the government would keep its faith, and told him to go home and move his people to their new seat. Upon his return he had a good deal of difficulty to reconcile his people to the compact. Some didn't want to move, and others declared that Moses had been duped, and they were to be swindled. However, an executive order was issued, selling off the reservation according to the agreement, and Moses and his band moved to it as required. The country comprised within the reservation is mostly hilly or mountainous. But it has some small though fertile valleys, is watered by fine streams which are full of fish, and affords excellent and abundant grazing. Moses and his people have occupied it a little more than two years.

But there has been more than one parallel to the history of Naboth's vineyard. Nothing is more common that to find covetous eyes set upon others' lands and Moses had the instinct of apprehension when he hesitated to accept the offer of the reservation. It is said that the northern part of the tract contains deposits of gold and silver, and of course white men want to get at them. This seems to be the moving cause which has led to an executive order that cuts off a large section of the reservation and restores it to the public domain. Might Moses is not working these mines, the whites of that region ask why they should not, considering that it is a matter of contract and good faith between an Indian tribe and the government. Thesame authority that assured to Moses the possession of this whole tract in quietude now eats off a large slice from the southern part of it and his complains, if not in the words, at least in the spirit of Hotspur, that his new order, which he had no reason to suspect, but every reason to suppose would never be made,

> Was snatched me from the bent of all my laud,
> Cheap bold-faces, a monstrous castle eat.

The position of Moses is a very difficult one. Even enough, the land may be of no great value to him or to his people. But they are a good deal like other human beings in this, namely, they want their rights respected and are slow to have something that can be surely called their own. This act embarrasses Moses greatly, and naturally shakes his authority with his people. From the first they were full of doubt, and he had extreme difficulty to prevail upon them to accept the reservation. They now distrust him with the foretold result of his predictions of ofevil, and are ready to believe they were sold as sheep, to keep any part of the country. Moses himself is at Vancouver to confer on the subject with the commander of the military department. His is an Indian who has had considerable treatment at the hands of the government. To his efforts it was largely due that the Indians of the upper Columbia region did not take part in the Umatilla and Nez Perce outbreaks. His friendship and fidelity at that time were of great value and ought to be remembered, and at the same time rewarded by scrupulous observance of faith with him. Of the fragments of the various tribes which he represents, even as seven hundred men remain, there is nothing could be more irrational than a war on their part, it ought to be remembered that, in the proportion that it would reduce it; and reduction of the civil service is the surest, if not the only means of reforming it.

INDIAN VS. AMERICAN WHEAT.

A telegraphic dispatch gives something for American farmers to consider in relation to Indian vs. American wheat. Within a few years India has become a great producer of wheat, and extension of railway through that vast country will ra ally increase its production. Already the wheat crop of India is large enough to be an important factor in controlling the European market. With the addition of another great wheat-growing country to the sources of the world's supply there will be a further strengthening of the uncertainty of speculative values. For as the exporting fact is that we shall stand a less chance of getting the fancy prices which have been current for the last quarter of a century. Europe will look to India for its supplies of seventy to European markets; and as shall also, perhaps receive a less average rate for one wheat than is received by Europe's own wheat-growers. The extent of this competition from the wheat fields of India.

The total area of India under British administration is 904,000 square miles. A large part of this vast area is fit for cultivation of wheat, but much of it is not yet known with precision, and the process of clearing is slow and expensive, while nearly all of it requires irrigation. A great many varieties of wheat are produced in this country. Some of them are inferior, but compared by English standard in quality and value to American wheat, select lots have been found equal to the best Oregon and California. It is said that the average best grade, however, is between No. 1 and No. 2, Milwaukee test, the standard of all grades is being gradually raised by more care in separating the varieties, more thorough cleaning and the use of better seed. The annual production of wheat in British India has of late years, steadily increased, until it now reaches the enormous to al of about 240,000,000 bushels. The agricultural laborer is a tenant on hard conditions, and is by custom and by entry almost a fixture on the particular spot of land where he was born. His farming is done on a very small scale and according to old methods to which he clings with religious veneration; his wants are very few, and he endures poverty and even hunger with patience; he cultivates his patch of 5 to 15 acres on shares for the landed proprietor, who holds under rental to the government. Everything is done by hand; tools and implements are of the rudest kind; but the farmer can be independent on 10 cents a day, and of course counts his labor as next to nothing. He can therefore sell his wheat at a very low price. It is quite possible that these cheap methods in India may ere long considerably affect wheat-growing in America. This affords another suggestion that our farmers on the Pacific coast of America ought not to depend so much as they do upon the production of wheat alone, but that it would be to their interest to develop, as fast as they can, a more varied agricultural industry.

WORK FOR RETIRED ARMY OFFICERS.

Much was said in congress during the past session about the army but little to any real purpose. There can be no doubt, as the house by a decided vote declared, that the pay corps is absurdly overgrown and that it costs too much money. And perhaps the medical corps, U.S. with its civilian "acting assistants" or contract men, is unnecessarily large and expensive at this peaceful time. In these branches of the service there is, if we may trust authority which appears to be intelligent, opportunity for retrenchment without in anywise affecting the efficiency of the army. But a still greater saving could be made by a proper employment of retired officers of the army who, though many of them are capable, do nothing whatever in return for the large sum they draw each year from the public treasury. The people willingly support those who have grown gray in the service or who, through its toils and dangers, have become helpless. But fully half of the members of the retired list are active and capable for any service save that of actual warfare. Many of them are in business for themselves and not at all in need of the half pay which they draw. The work of the pension bureau ought to be performed by these retired officers. It is a service in which a pertinent and responsible corps ought to be employed and for which retired officers, if they be not wholly disabled, are abundantly qualified. It is an injustice to the toiling millions to tax them for the support in idleness of men who are able to do many kinds of service for which the government employs men not more capable than themselves. By putting the pension work into the hands of retired officers, the whole service of the pension bureau could be disclosed. The saving in salaries alone would be great. And besides the economical considerations, this would be a step toward the much-desired civil service reform. It would reform it

Among the schemes by which congressmen secure favor at the general expense, or in other words, make themselves "solid" with the people, the public building scheme ranks high. Theoretically, appropriations are made for buildings because they are needed for government use, and as a matter of fact, they are put up where they will do the most good; but the public decently cuts small figure in the matter Thus, two public buildings are in progress in Virginia in part payment to Mahone for his services to the republican party.

The new Wisconsin law which prohibits the employment of children under fourteen years of age will, a dispatch says, throw 3000 children in the city of Milwaukee alone out of work. This law is an outrage. It will make paupers of thousands of children. It is a poor sort of charity that takes a boy from an employment, even if it be one not harmful, where he makes an honest living, and puts him in a poor house.

Edward Everett Hale, the New England Women's society, the "National Indian rights association," and other good societies and people, may amuse themselves by holding pious meetings and making resolutions, but they will accomplish no other good purpose. They know as little about Indian affairs as the Apaches know about Boston culture.

"In the jury box there is too much to be feared from intellectual inanity as from intellectual injustice, and even more." This was written for THE OREGONIAN of yesterday. The editor was delighted with the work of compositor and proof-reader, who "improved" the sentence so as to make it read "intellectual insanity."

The Star route trials have cost the government an immense amount of money. To lawyers alone, $1 5,564.41 has been paid, of which $59,000.00 has gone to George Bliss. Dorsey and Brady probably will not give the public the figures of their disbursements.

If the telegraph tells truth, DeLesseps has gotten his work at Panama well under way. Whether or not he builds the canal he has shown splendid energy and wonderful financial ability in pushing the scheme thus far.

It didn't pay to bully Tim Quinnette, now didn't, chief whisky "fellers?" The effort hasn't been "lively," now has it? Just walk up and pay your $500 license fee and furnish the $500 bot. Ler and set up shop.

TO PROTECT TIMBER AGAINST FIRE.

The following notice is being extensively circulated throughout Oregon, Washington and Idaho, and is of interest to all concerned:

> DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
> GENERAL LAND OFFICE,
> WASHINGTON, D.C., March 5, 1883.
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> The attention of the undersigned has been called to the fact that large quantities of the timber on the public lands is annually destroyed by forest fires, which, in many cases, are made through the carelessness of hunting parties, prospectors and other persons passing through the forests. It is believed that many of such fires could be prevented by the exercise of ordinary care and caution. I take this method of warning all persons against leaving fire, the ashes or embers of all fires at their camps will be closely investigated, and where a fire is ascertained to have originated through a failure to observe such caution, the parties implicated will be prosecuted to the full extent of the law.
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> Special timber agents are hereby directed to proceed against all offenders in the local courts of the state or territory, retaining in the usual way one-half of the fines which the same may cover. The public generally are requested to aid the officers of the government in its efforts to check the evil referred to, and in the punishment of offenders.
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> N. C. McFARLAND, Commissioner.

HORSFORD'S ACID PHOSPHATE.

Is recommended for headache, occasioned by indigestion, and whenever there is a general feeling of sluggishness and lack of energy.

THE TRUE INWARDNESS.

Why it was Proven in the U. S. court that a Certain Road, supposed to be a County Road, was not, in Fact.

The county commissioners have been party to a deal during the past week in connection with a petition to have by Abraham Forland and a list of other names, which asks that a county road be located from the water mark on river lot No. 2, in Albina, the present ferry landing, to the already established Vancouver road. The road is one already in contemplation among both dedicated as street in the Albina addition to the town sites, and the property owners are willing to relinquish a portion of their old claims to have it established as a county road. The whole object is accompanied by process-verbal—one of which is signed by another long list of property and the other by I. E. Montgomery and William [illegible]. The most remarkable is quite lengthy, and sets forth many interesting statements, as the following sentence makes no reasons why the petition of [illegible] others should not be granted:

> That a county road is necessary for the use of the settlers on the above-named premises, and the public generally, because there is no other road leading from the said premises to the Vancouver road. That portion of the road to be laid out would follow the present traveled path, but would not be in many instances a straight line, as it is made it possible in the wet or winter season, and at all times other than to be planted or otherwise [illegible] to be [illegible] travel.

The road in the county road at the same time with connect it on the ferry landing at Albina with the Vancouver road.

The petitioners state that a traverse road leading from ferry landing on River street to Second street, as it does now through property owned by the Albina Land Co., is a most inconvenient one, and that it would be a great benefit to the public generally if a county road could be established from the ferry landing on River street to Second street, as it does now through property owned by the Albina Land Co., is a most inconvenient one, and that it would be a great benefit to the public generally if a county road could be established from the ferry landing on River street to Second street, as it does now through property owned by the Albina Land Co., which line would not, except by making a wide curve, add to a road the county has already established considerable money in bridging the gulch and in grading. The proprietors of the land over which the road would pass declare that if about to be legally [illegible] property.

Report.—As to the strip of land lying along the easterly side of river lot 2, between River street and the river, which is the property on the portion of which it may be located, we respectfully state that the said strip of land will never constitute any part of the highway other than as a ferry way or ferry landing, and that the ferry that now exists is a private affair, and we respectfully recommend and protest to taxpayers against being compelled by the action of this honorable court to purchase a ferry landing for a ferry owned by some one or a number of private [illegible]. If the ferry company desire the use of this land for the purposes of its ferry, we respectfully suggest that the honorable court require them to pay for it out of the private funds, as any other business enterprise would be required to do. They are operating the ferry for private gain, and it is not just that they should receive forty landings at the cost of private expense.

The above is all taken from the original petition, which is signed by [illegible] Mont. Gomery, William Reid, J. M. Buckley and about a score of others. The personal remonstrance of Montgomery and Reid is also on file, and most of us explanations to the effect of Albina and vicinity than anything else. The road in question is in a remonstrance as being a better and more direct route than the one asked for by the petitioners, the road which was a short time since adjudged by Judge Deady, in the U. S. circuit court, to be not a county road. A great portion of the property along this road is owned or controlled by Montgomery and Reid, and many people supposed the action taken before Judge Deady was in order to get possession of the land over which the road was constructed, and thus close the road to public travel entirely. This Montgomery and Reid, in their personal remonstrance to the county commissioners, said that they had already taken steps to have the said road legalized by the county court as a county road, except as that west

MEETING NOTICE.

Portland Lodge, No. 68, A. F. & A. M.—A stated meeting will be held this (Friday) evening, at Masonic Temple, this Friday evening at 7:30 o'clock.

Gimbetta's Manager at.—The French citizens are invited to meet at Arca. Trouthal's parlors Monday, April 8, at 2 P. M. A. LABBE, Pres.

Birth, Marriage and death notices, $1 per cent each insertion. Funeral notices and resolutions of Fraternal bodies in center line.

Transient advertising payable in advance.

Small advertisements under the heads of "To Let," "For Sale," "Lost," "Found," etc., cost a little first insertion and five cents for each subsequent insertion. Seven words make a line.

MARRIED.

At the residence of the bride's parents, in Washington county, April 4, by Rev. Mr. Gantz, Mr. D. J. Smith, of Portland, and Miss Viola Robinson.

Hillsboro papers please copy.

Near Hazleton, March 26, Jarvis Keigh and Miss Carrie S. Hier.

At Gladedale, April 3 Jefferson Phipps and Miss Rosa Vaughn.

At Walla Walla, April 3 Ben Morgan and Miss Mattie Keeney.

At Oregon City, March 25, John Berg, son and Miss Elmina Mottwan.

At Oregon City, March 29, Frank M. Taylor and Miss Mary Anderson.

DIED.

In this city, April 5, 1883, Edward, third son of Edward and Ann Smith, aged 5 months and 5 days.

Funeral from the residence of the family, 46 Eighth and A streets, to-day at 2 P. M. Friends are invited.

At Wilsonville, Clackamas county, April 2, Frederick Wilson, aged 1 year.

At Gervais, March 22, Walter Vaughn aged 12 ms.

NEW TO-DAY.

PRESSMAN WANTED—GOOD HAND ON JOB press or cylinder can find a rare opportunity. McCOY, Job Printer, First and Stark.

FURNISHED ROOMS TO RENT—NO SUNNY FRONT rooms in this house. Inquire No 51 North 4 street, between Yamhill and Taylor.

WANTED—MILLINER AT 66 MORRISON ST. Room to board with.

$2800 WILL BUY A HOUSE AND LOT, 50x100, with fruit and ornamental trees in bearing; also well spring and running water on the lot. Partially in a desirable location. Inquire Room No. 3, O. & C. R. R. office, Front and Ferry sts.

WANTED—A GIRL OR WOMAN FOR GENeral housework. Apply at 230 Third st.

WANTED—IN A BUSINESS OFFICE, A GOOD penman, with a knowledge of book-keeping and figures. Address P. O. box 456, Seattle, W. T.

MUST BE SOLD—AT A SACRIFICE, JOB printing office. Address J. C., Box 845, city.

G. SHINDLER & Co., Furniture, Carpets, Wall Papers, 166 First st. and 167 Front st., Portland, Or.

BOY WANTED—A GOOD BOY WANTED. Apply at Telegram office.

WANTED CASH BOY. APPLY AT ONCE AT MISS HOBBS', 151 First street.

WANTED—BY A YOUNG MAN HAVING for his own business, a line of goods not requiring heavy samples, for sale on commission. Address P. O. box 1.

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Artistic job printing at S. H. Schwab's, 132½ Front, corner Washington. Lowest prices.

You can learn to Write in a few hours by the Chart system at Academy Hall.

Every delicacy of the San Francisco market at Eppinger's, corner A and First.

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R. H. Hall, Architect, over First National Bank

J. C. Stuart, Artist, Alisworth Block.

Shoe Repairing by H. Brown, 193 3d st.

N. DAVIS, Fashionable Tailor, 59 First. St. Latest patterns.

New invoice goods at Solmeyer's, the Tailor, and First National Bank Building.

Baldwin Restaurant. Alder, bet. 1st & Front.

A. E. Williams & Co., General Machinists, 82 Front street.

SELLWOOD TIME TABLE.

Commencing Friday, April 6th.

STEAMERS DOLLY AND BRAZEE.

LEAVE PORTLAND.	ARRIVE SELLWOOD.
7:30 A. M.	8:00 A. M.
9:30 A. M.	10:00 A. M.
11:30 A. M.	12:00 M.
1:30 P. M.	2:00 P. M.
3:30 P. M.	4:00 P. M.
5:30 P. M.	6:00 P. M.

For Milwaukie and intermediate points, leave Portland at 6:30 A. M. and 1 P. M., will touch at Oswego, leave at 8:30 A. M. and 3 P. M. Will touch at Portland only.

Returning, will leave Oswego at 9 A. M. and 4 P. M. Milwaukie at 9:30 A. M. and 4:30 P. M.

These trips will be continued if the patronage of the resident and Milwaukie citizens justifies it.

Freight to or from Oswego, Milwaukie or Sellwood, 10 cents per 100 pounds. Passage to Sellwood, Round Trip, 25 cents. Single Trip, 15 cents. Excursions to Sellwood, Milwaukie or Oswego, at reasonable rates. For further information apply at the office on the wharf, foot of Taylor street, Portland, Or.

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ON WEDNESDAY, APRIL 11,

At the hour of 10 A. M.

CHOICE HOMESTEAD PROPERTY,

Being the north half of Subdivision No. 4 of Donation Land Claim No. 41, in Township 1 North of Range 1 East of the Willamette Meridian, in Multnomah county, Oregon, and situated on one of the most desirable places, fifteen and one-half miles from the city of Portland, and adjoining the town of Sellwood, and about one mile from the Willamette river. Also the personal property. Terms made known on day of sale. Title perfect. Terms: One-half cash; balance in two equal payments, six and twelve months, bearing interest at 10 per cent per annum.

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The Finest Stock of

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Ever Shown in Oregon.

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NEW TO-DAY.

FOR HONOLULU DIRECT.

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Sole Agent for Portland, DAVIS & CO.

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Household Furniture, Carpets,

Etc., Etc.

Will sell at our salesroom, No. 52 First street,

THIS DAY, FRIDAY, APRIL 6th,

At 10 o'clock A. M.,

Household Furniture and Carpets.

GILMAN & CO., Auctioneers.

SPECIAL AUCTION SALE

OF

SALOON FIXTURES.

Will be held on the premises, the N. W. corner of First and Stark streets,

TUESDAY, APRIL 10, 1883,

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The entire Furniture and Fixtures of Saloon, consisting of

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WE LEAD!

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TRUNKS, ETC.

They are superior to any ever brought to this city. Newest Style, Lowest prices.

A special invitation is extended to call and examine the same.

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Druggists of dealers in medicines can obtain supplies from Hodge, Davis & Co., Portland, Or., or from Scott, Fillman, proprietor, 755 Mission street, San Francisco, Cal.

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JEWELRY, CLOCKS, ETC. REPAIRING OF watches a specialty. Everything warranted as represented or no sale wanted. Diamond setting and engraving done. Silver and gold plating. No. 75 North First, bet. Davis and E, Portland, Or.

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WANTED—DARK SERVANT GIRLS. APPLY at 23 Oak st.

WANTED—A GOOD SECOND NURSE GIRL. Apply at 1 North Eighth, E. Ankeny car.

WANTED—A GIRL TO COOK. APPLY AT 151 Second st.

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SITUATION WANTED—TWO FINE GIRLS to assist in washing and ironing. Apply at 23 Sixth st., between Salmon and Taylor.

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WANTED—A SITUATION BY A YOUNG MAN of 20. Address, or particulars as to his hours of work, etc., that it is desirable. Address A. J., this office.

SITUATION WANTED IN A NEW YORK WILL, by a young man of Rice. C. HARRIS, New York Hotel, Portland.

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UNFURNISHED ROOMS TO LET, IN SUITE OR single. Inquire of LENT, SCHERMERHORN & CO., 108 Front st.

NICE AIRY, PLEASANT ROOMS TO RENT, at reasonable rates, furnished or unfurnished, en suit or single. Two fire on north side sleeping gallery. 169 North Second st.

THE ARLINGTON—S. W. CORNER SECOND and Morrison sts. Brand-new, all elegantly furnished. Apply for rooms to MRS. V. TREAT, Proprietress.

TO LET—PARLOR AND BEDROOM AT 65 Madison st. Brand-new, all elegantly furnished. Apply for rooms to MRS. V. TREAT, Proprietress.

TO LET—FURNISHED ROOMS IN PRIVATE family, 323 Second st., between Main and Salmon.

PARLOR BOARD. A FEW GENTLEMEN CAN BE accommodated with first-class board in a private German family; price moderate. 63 st. northwest corner of Second and Washington streets, city.

FURNISHED ROOMS—ONE LARGE FRONT room, with alcove, nicely furnished; with board. Also other rooms. At 94 Columbia st., near Sixth.

Furniture Rooms—New Home, 22 Second st.

TO LET—FURNISHED ROOMS AT 230 First st., between Main and Madison.

DESIRABLE ROOMS, WITH BOARD AND use of bath, suitable for gentleman and wife, at 161 Yamhill street.

FOR RENT—NEATLY FURNISHED ROOMS AT San Francisco Lodging-house, 28 Washington street; for gentlemen only.

FOR RENT—THE HOUSE AND FURNITURE of residence formerly occupied by P. J. Martin, 82 North Fourth st.—Single rooms or en suite, with board if desired.

AGENTS WANTED.

WANTED—EIGHT OR NINE SUCCESSFUL BOOK agents of energy and pluck to operate as general agents and train others to canvass; a new book of remarkable merit and great reliability; pays those who will do it $200 to $250 per annum. Address, giving full references as to character, etc., H. C. FERGUSON, with A. L. Bancroft & Co., 721 Market st., San Francisco, Cal.

3 NEW SUBSCRIPTION BOOKS THAT PAY agents from $10 to $20 per day. Address A. ROMAN, 125 Sutter street, San Francisco, Cal.

CITY AND COUNTRY AGENTS WANTED TO sell the Latest and Best Family Knitter. Address CHARLES BROWN & SON, 36 Geary st., San Francisco, Cal.

WANTED IMMEDIATELY—ACTIVE, ENERGETIC workers, both men and women, to canvass for our rapid selling books. Cut this out and address at once A. L. BANCROFT & CO., 721 Market st., San Francisco, Cal.

DAIRY PRODUCE.

E. S. LARSEN & CO., DAIRY PRODUCE AND provisions, No. 31 Front, cor. Ash, Portland.

HUMAN HAIR GOODS.

C. FEE WANG, NO. 61 MORRISON STREET, between Second and Third. All kinds of work in hair done to order. See the new wave.

REMOVALS.

REMOVED—WING SING CO. DOING BUSiness for new location, 108 Washington, and Third streets, having imported to the brick fire-proof building No. 129 Front street, between Washington and Alder, where they continue the business of [illegible] adding to wholesale and retail grocer line provisions and general fine groceries. Goods imported directly from China, Japan and Europe. Connected by telephone.

Portland, April 2, 1883.

SEWING MACHINES.

SINGER SEWING MACHINES—THE NO. 8 PORtable machine for all purposes. The Singer Manufacturing Co., 37 Morrison st., Portland.

TO LET—HOUSES AND STORES.

CHANCE OF HOUSEKEEPING.—VERY DEsirable furnished rooms to let, with board. Inquire at Dr. Hoyt's office, 208 Morrison st.

TO LET—FINE OFFICES IN NEW BRICK building, cheap. Apply to LENT, SCHERMERHORN & CO., 108 Front st.

TO LET—FURNISHED HOUSE, 8 ROOMS, bath, hot and cold water, gas, etc. Rent $30. Inquire at 66 Mitchell st., or 189 Front st., Portland, Or.

TO LET—THE NEW BRICK STORE AND TENEment on Front street, between Ash and Pine, lately occupied by Mrs. Wilson. Apply to C. H. LEWIS & CO., 1 Front st., Portland, Or.

TO LET—THE NEW BRICK TENEMENT ON

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Pioneers and Commission Mer...

...ALE DAYS—Tuesdays and ...

Spring Opening

We are receiving large ... voices of

NEW SPRING GOODS,

And are daily opening

NOVELTIES

IN

EVERY DEPARTMENT.

We wish to call special attention to our

DRESS GOODS DEPT.

in which are complete lines of

NEW SILKS,

WOOLEN DRESS GOODS,

SATINES and

WASH FABRICS

of the most approved styles and colorings.

On account of selling...

EXCLUSIVELY FOR CASH

We are offering unusual inducements in prices. Those purchasing come and get our quotations. It will pay well, as our prices are LOWEST in the market.

Oldis & Tichenor,

186 First st.,

between Yamhill and Taylor.

An Avalanche

OF

NEW ...

Having received from eastern manufacturers a Sample Assortment of Clothing, I shall, in order to make room for my stock offer to buyers, the choicest, most reliable and stylish Men's, Boys' and Children's Clothing ever offered for sale in this city, at prices that will please the most economical mind. My stock comprises the Novelties for Men's, Boys' and Children's wear. Being especially selected for good trade and inspected by myself, my stock will satisfy the most critical.

A. ROBERTS,

Leading Clothier, Merchant Tailor and Hatter,

COR. FIRST AND ALDER STS.

THE

Clearance Sale

AT THE

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Will continue until their Entire Stock of

Dry Goods, Millinery, Cloaks, etc.

Are disposed of.

...oods in every department marked down to

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LEWIS & STRAUSS,

123 First St.

CUMBERLAND AND ELEGANT

...ADDITION AND CHERRY...

GILMAN

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CITY.

...Mrs F M Sebastian ... children all boys with her ... and have recovered from the ... back to Perdla [illegible] ... the third floor of the ... the wife of the man who [illegible] ... in West [illegible] ... Mrs. Caldwell [illegible] ... and wife, Mrs Caldwell [illegible] ... the same Thompson [illegible] ... with the sad news [illegible] ... Mrs. Schuyler and her child [illegible] ... fishing and her child were [illegible] ... from the net-house on the north [illegible] ... a week's leave from a physician saying [illegible] ... well as I ever [illegible] ... her children recovered [illegible] ... to return to her friends in M[illegible] ... arrived here however the [illegible] ... refused to [illegible] ... steamers to San Francisco [illegible] ... being quarantined [illegible] ... expense that [illegible] ... was taken by the wife [illegible] ... physician and all [illegible] ... children have been [illegible] ... allowed visited [illegible] ... owing to the [illegible] ... such cases exist [illegible] ... danger of the [illegible] ... has had more [illegible] ... danger from their presence [illegible] ... refused to allow them [illegible] ... and how long they will [illegible] ... here is a matter for [illegible] ... the city through [illegible] ... the best possible care of [illegible]

...About 8 o'clock yesterday ... proprietor of a sailor's boarding ... street, between A and B was ... in the room adjoining the own... the occupant an Italian ... across the table upon ... bleeding from a ghastly wound ... had been inflicted with a razor ... and found that it ... was soon up ... comfortable, when another ... made in its attempt ... would be suicide in the ... He states that he ... with his wife about nine ... is 25 years of age and they ... All her solicitation he ... and came out here. States ... all his money and ... with whom they had ... lived and trusted ... was upon that he could ... out of his troubles but by ... several grown up children ... whom is engaged ... pendence, Kansas ... to his hospital yester... would that he would ... to live out his al... great burden of grief as best

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...Work was commenced yesterday morning on the new Catholic church, which is to be erected on the corner of Church and Ferry streets. The building will be of brick, and will be 40 feet wide by 80 feet long. The contract for the brick work has been awarded to Mr. Hall, and the carpenter work to Mr. Hartnett.

...Mr. Thomas Kay, of Silverton, was in the city yesterday, and reports that the Silverton Flouring Mill company, which has been incorporated with a capital stock of $25,000, will commence the erection of a new flouring mill in that city at once. The new mill will be a three-story brick building, and will have a capacity of 150 barrels per day.

...The Salem Building and Loan association held its regular meeting last night, and a number of new members were admitted. The association is in a very prosperous condition, and is doing a good business. The next meeting will be held on the first Monday in May.

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...LEGAL NOTES.

[FROM THE OREGONIAN'S LOCAL CORRESPONDENT.]

EUGENE CITY, April 5.

...The annual class of the University of Oregon ... conferred last week were ... Commencement ... Tuesday, the 23d inst. ... The seniors are highly pleased with this truly excellent ... being about as many graduates ... The class motto is ... Latin, words in ... sentimental in character ... strong in thought and beautiful in expression.

...The drama "Above the Clouds" ... June a half last Friday evening ... and it was well received. Some of those who took part ... tested themselves remarkably well ... natural talent coupled with careful study. The receipts were $140 expenses, about $45. The balance will be donated to the Odd Fellows home at The Dalles.

...The city election held yesterday passed off quietly ... the republican ticket, that the entire ... was elected with the exception of Dr. T. W. Shelton for councilman. The names ... were three councilmen having the highest votes ... persons elected for mayor—F. B. Dunn, 111 votes; Dr. W. Shelton, 108; W. H. Abrams, 86. For recorder—H. G. Callahan, 162; Geo. W. King, 12. For marshal—J. E. Allebery, 187; Thos. Brown, 98. For treasurer—D. B. James, 76.

BAKER CITY NOTES.

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BAKER CITY, March 31.

...March is going out like a lion. Snow to two inches deep.

...R. M. Stout has purchased a nice lot of hay here for use on the railroad.

...Bets are being made that the cars will be here by January 1st, 1886.

...The National bank is doing a good business. The ... intend building a brick this season.

...The Oregonian of the 30th has not reached us, although those of a later date are here.

...The stock are looking well as there is plenty of grass on the hills. This present month is certainly temperate.

...Messrs. Haines, Williams, Foster and Clemmer had a two days' hunt last week. They killed a duck and it was poor.

OUTGOING PASSENGERS.

...The following is a list of passengers [illegible] the following steamers:

...Steamer [illegible]: [illegible] Walton, D. F. Sawyer, W. L. Ritz, Edwin Fowler, J. M. Martin, W. H. Gregory, G. W. Dreyfus and wife, Wm. Herrick, R. H. Wilson and wife, Mrs. H. Davis, [illegible] and child, W. [illegible], J. S. Myers, [illegible], M. [illegible], F. H. [illegible], [illegible], [illegible],

The Daily Oregonian.

FRIDAY MORNING, APRIL 4, 1883.

AFTERNOON DISPATCHES

India as a Wheat Country.

WASHINGTON, April 3.—As India is a specific rival of the United States in the supply of wheat for the British market, American wheat-growers will be interested in the report on Indian wheat prepared by H. Matson, chief general statistician, in the February number of the monthly reports, which is just out. Mr. Matson's conclusions are as follows: That India can produce an average quantity of wheat at as low cost as the people in the Pacific States and locality in the Mississippi States that now supply the European market with our wheat, which is annually, and possesses for both of these districts the supply to an almost indefinite extent, that owing to the great elasticity of the consumption and to the vast amount of land available for cultivation that in quality, cheapness, transportation facilities for handling, safety against damage during transit and stability of money exchange, American wheat, sufficiently that from the new Northwest has a decided advantage that there need be no serious apprehension on account of Indian competition at destinations on but in order to maintain this advantage it is absolutely necessary that America should keep pace with India in efforts to reduce and maintain freights at the lowest possible minimum. Due to other hand it is an indisputable fact that India has already become, and will continue to be, a very important factor in the grain markets of Europe, and a check against big prices by artificial or speculation or any other unnecessary or artificial means, and finally that upon the basis of a fair average crop the world at large and the American farmer will have to prepare himself to reduce the cost of production to the low-est minimum, and be content with small profits or else wheat-growing in India will be attracted to such an extent that subsequent competition may become extremely formidable.

Important Cattle Sale.

CHICAGO, April 4.—A large gathering of stock men at Dexter park to-day participated in the sale of Polled Angus, Galloway, Hereford, Short-horn, Devon and West Highland cattle. A lot of West Highland cattle, the property of Lear & Bros., of Cassella, Georgia, Whitefield others, also Angus, was disposed of for an aggregate of $19,350, prices running with remarkable even as. Only two reached one thousand. Polled Angus and Pit-Fours brought one thousand, and Rimbranger, of the same breed, $1180.

Internal Revenue Receipts.

WASHINGTON, April 3.—The commissioner of internal revenue will issue to-day a new circular instructions with regard to collection of what are known as "specials," that is taxes imposed upon manufacturers and dealers in spirits, malt liquors and tobacco. The circular provides that where special taxes shall have become due and not paid by the 1st of May next, such special taxes shall be assessed and collected as other taxes are collected, but receipting therefor in form of warrant instead of issuing the special stamp as heretofore provided for in circular No. 261.

Not very Important.

PARIS, April 3.—Gen. De Gallifet in an interview declares that all heads of departments and sub directors of the war office are sycophants and cowardly enemies, and that the desire to regard in natural enemies, and that the desire to regard in natural enemies, and that the desire to regard in natural